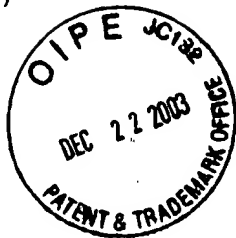


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In re Application of:

Tetsuo FUKAMI et al.

Group Art Unit: 2814

Serial No.: 09/980,633

Examiner: Wai Sing Louie

Filed: December 5, 2001

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Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified application. The shortened statutory period having expired October 21, 2003, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for two (2) months. There is also attached our Check No. 17202 in the amount of \$420.00 in payment for:

Extension fee for response within first month
pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$110.00) [\$55.00].

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Extension fee for response within third month
pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$950.00) [\$475.00].

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 16-0331. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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